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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## SIGNAL INSTALLATION ON STATE ROUTE 138 AT PHELAN ROAD

**Pinon Hills -** The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) began a project today on State Route 138 to install a signal at the intersection of Phelan/Green Roads in Pinon Hills. Along with the installation of the signals, the project includes pavement rehabilitation and shoulder widening at the intersection. Left-hand turn lanes will be added at the intersection for east and westbound SR-138.

Work hours are 3:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 3:00 a.m. to noon on Fridays with no weekend work. Intermittent lane closures are expected throughout the project, which should be complete by early June 2005. The lane closures will close one lane in either direction of the two-lane highway and flagging will be used to direct traffic one direction at a time. One lane will remain open at all times.

This signal project is part of an effort by Caltrans to make improvements to the SR-138 Safety Corridor. Caltrans reminds motorists to reduce your speed at the construction zone and be especially careful when driving in inclement weather.

SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE - your life or the life of another may depend on it!

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